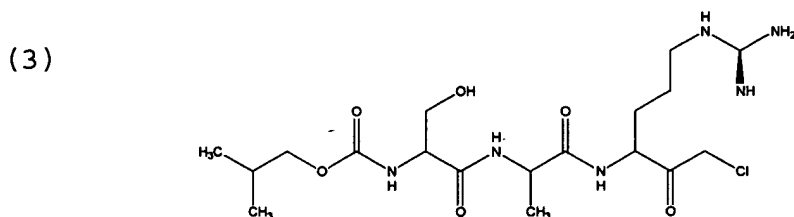
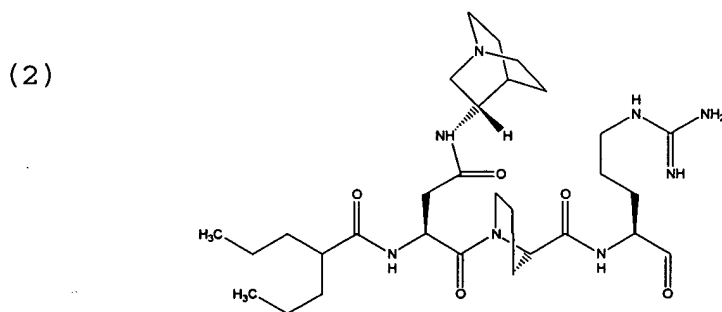
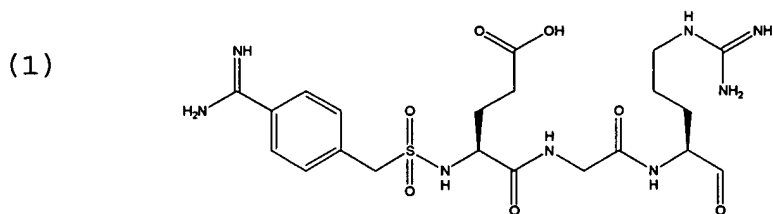
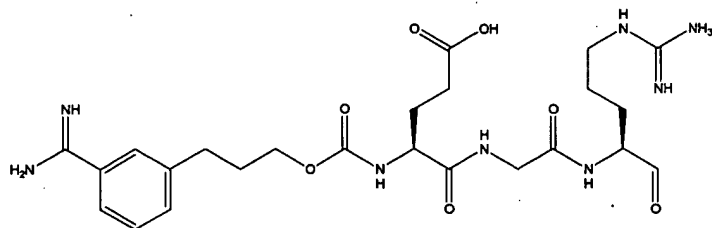


Claims

1. (Previously Presented) A method of treating a condition which is ameliorated by inhibiting or decreasing serine protease activity of matriptase or membrane-type serine protease 1 in a mammal in need of treatment which comprises administering to said mammal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound which inhibits serine protease activity of matriptase or membrane-type serine protease 1 wherein said compound is selected from the group consisting of:

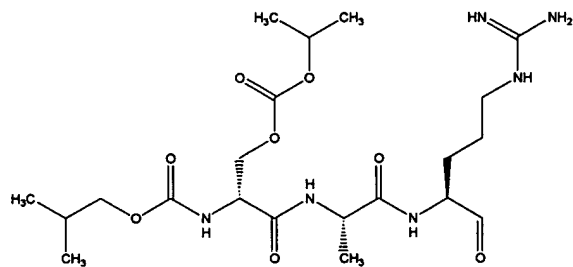


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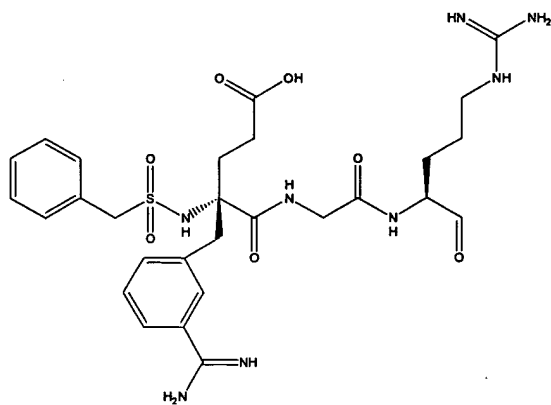
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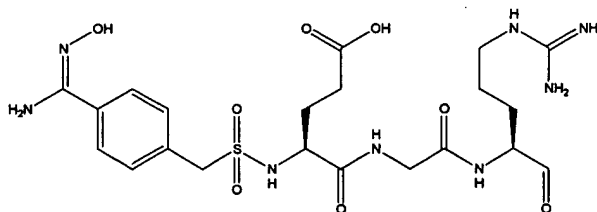
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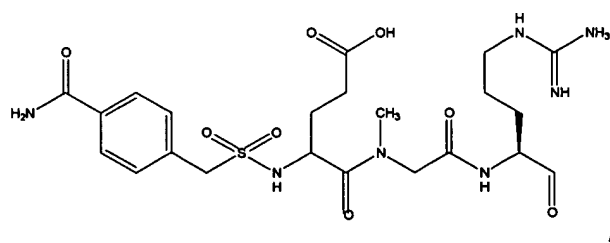
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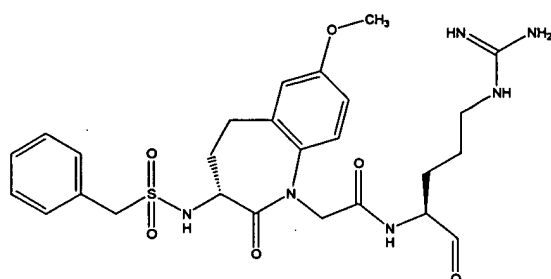
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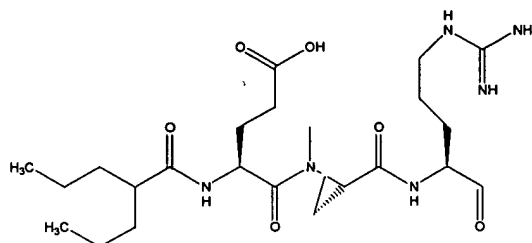
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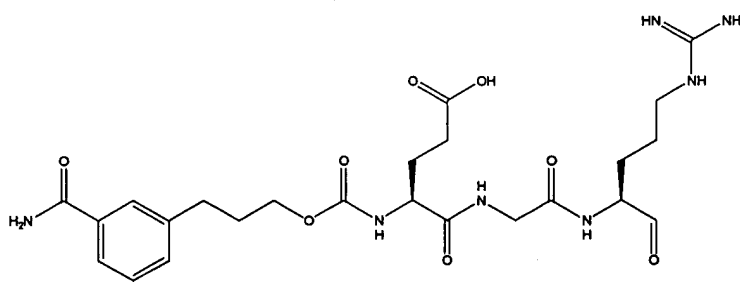
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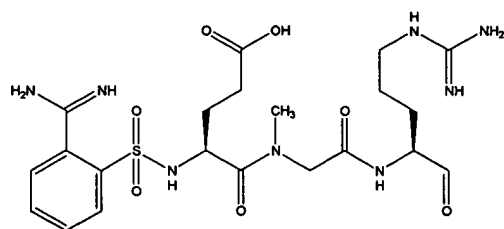
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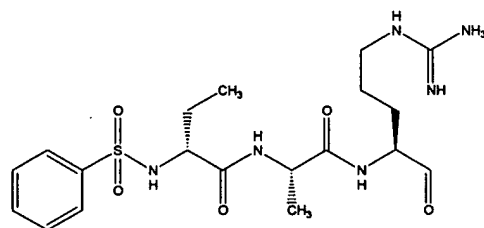


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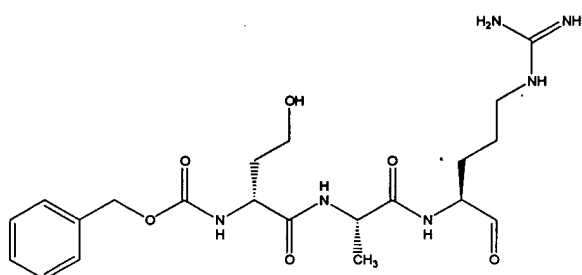
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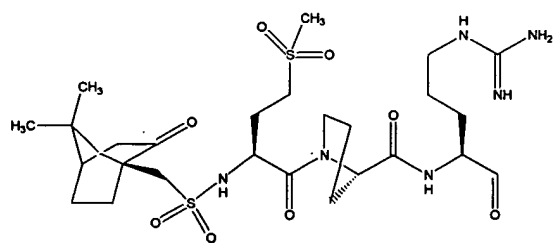
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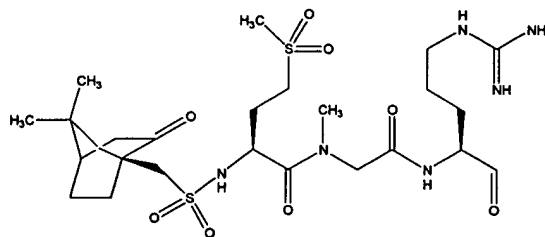
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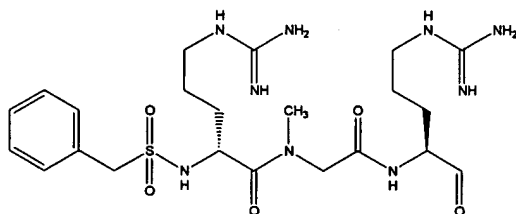


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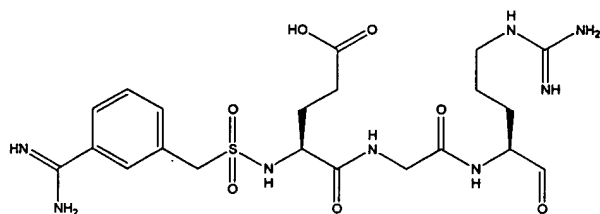
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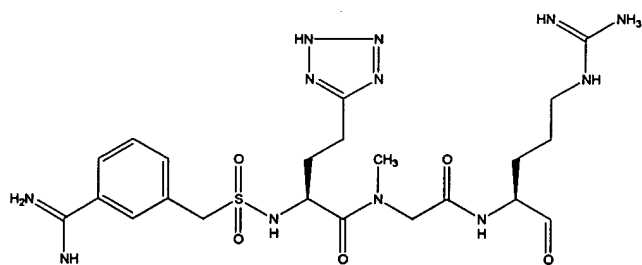
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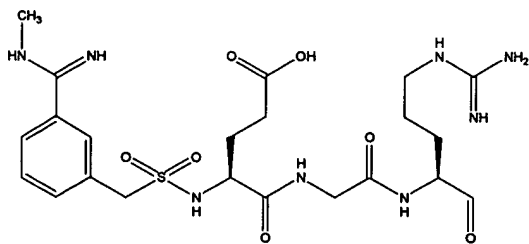
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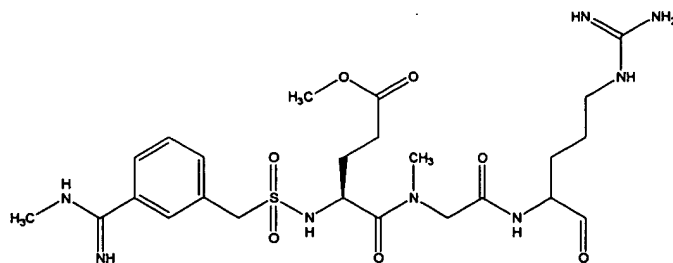
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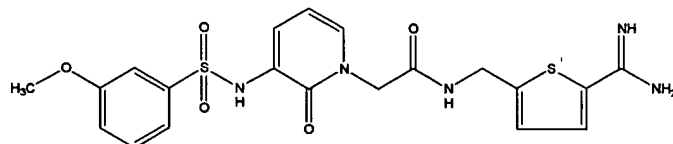
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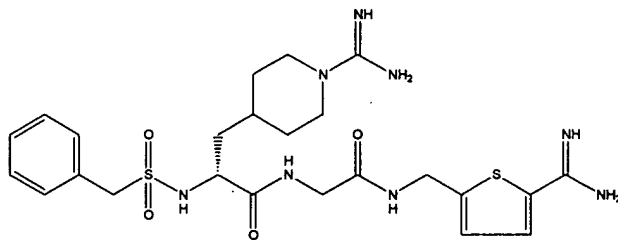
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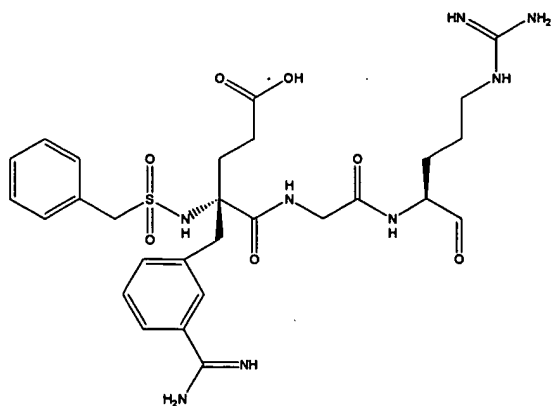


2. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 1 wherein said compound has an IC_{50} for inhibition of serine protease activity of matriptase or membrane-type serine protease 1 of 100 nM or less.

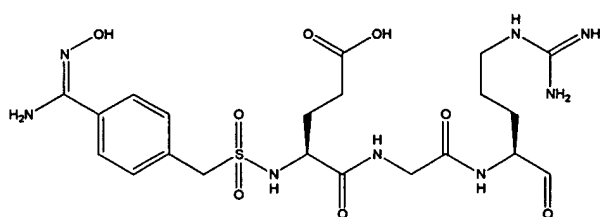
Claim 3 (Cancelled).

4. (Previously Presented) A method of treating a condition which is ameliorated by inhibiting or decreasing serine protease activity of matriptase or membrane-type serine protease 1 in a mammal in need of treatment which comprises administering to said mammal a therapeutically effective amount of a compound which selectively inhibits serine protease activity of matriptase or membrane-type serine protease 1 wherein said compound is selected from the group consisting of:

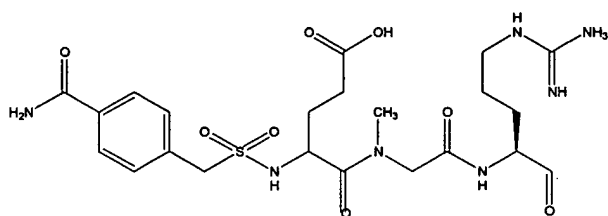
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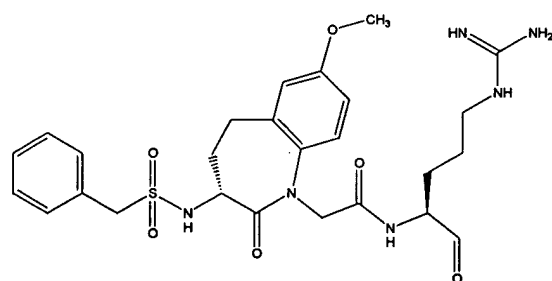
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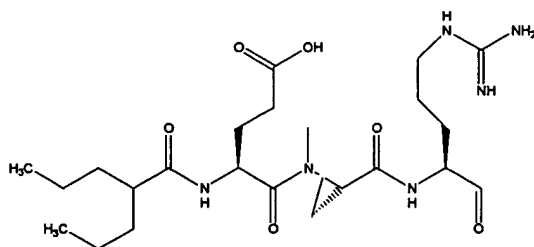
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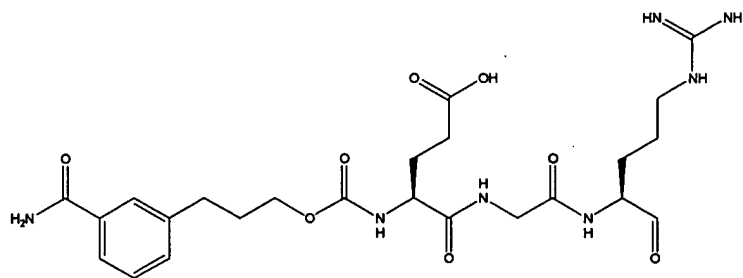
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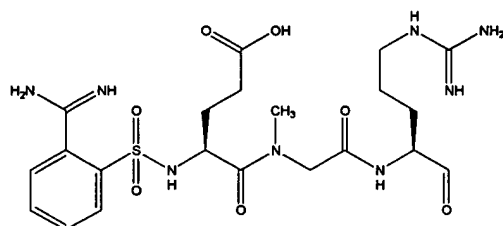
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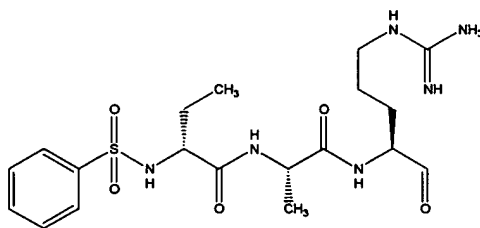
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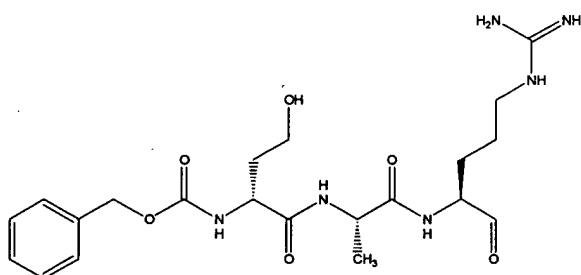
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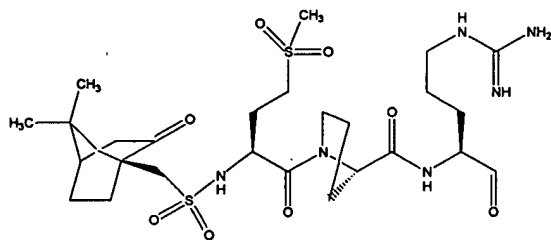
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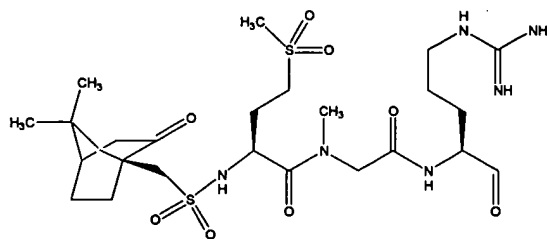
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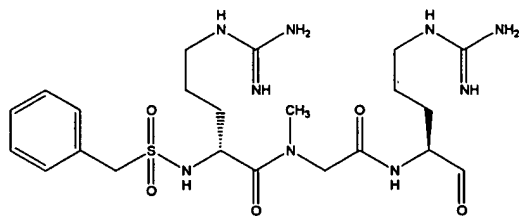
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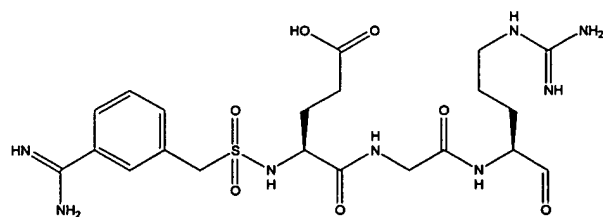
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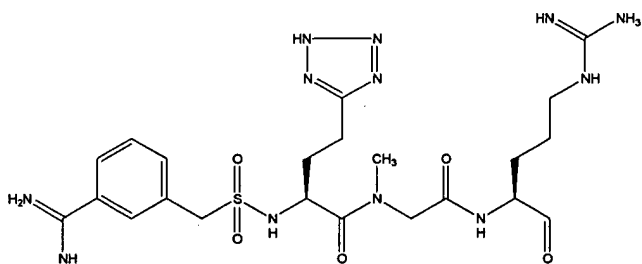
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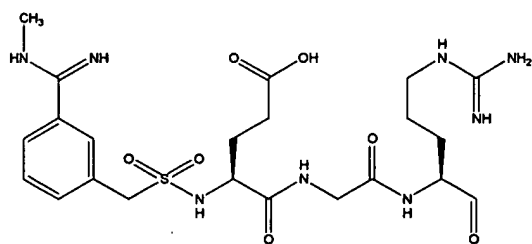
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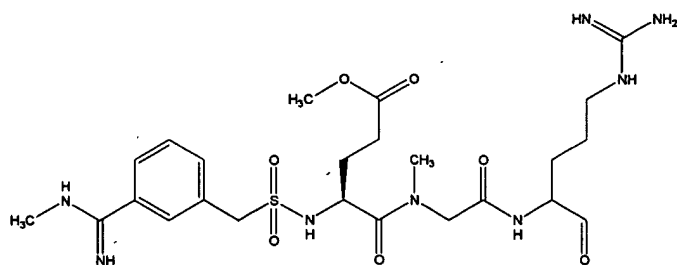
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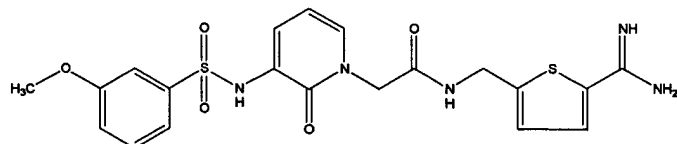


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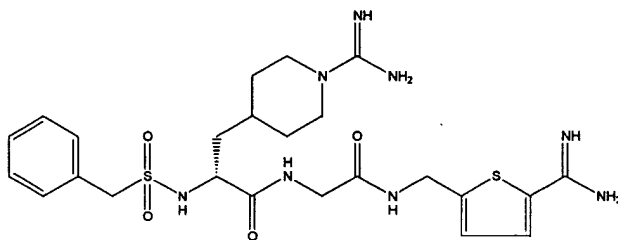
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5. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 4 wherein said compound has an IC₅₀ for inhibition of serine protease activity of matriptase or membrane-type serine protease 1 of 100 nM or less.

